Preparation of fluoromethyl-substituted heterocycles

Abstract

The present invention relates to a process for preparing fluoromethyl-substituted heterocycles of the formula (I)

$$F \xrightarrow{R^1} CO_2 R^3$$
 (I)

in which R1, R2, R3 and A are each as defined in the description

by fluorinating the corresponding chloromethyl-substituted precursors.